



May 15, 2018

To Whom it May Concern:

The undersigned faculty members are current holders of chairs or professorships associated with Mr. Sherlock Hibbs' endowment, or held one of the positions for some length of time between 2014 and 2018. We attest that consistent with the stipulation in the will of Mr. Hibbs, each of us believes we are "a dedicated and articulate disciple of the free and open market economy (the Ludwig von Mises Austrian School of Economics)." We further attest that through our individual and collective activities, we have demonstrated a commitment to – and have promoted – numerous principles associated with the Austrian School of Economics, such as innovation, creativity, change, entrepreneurship, private property, competition, pricing through open markets, individual choice, and market processes.

It has been an honor to hold the named positions established through the generosity of Sherlock Hibbs. Those of us who are current position holders look forward to fulfilling the stipulations associated with the positions in Mr. Hibbs' will.

Signed: Lisa K. Scheer
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Daniel B. Turban
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Richard A. Johnson
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Marsha Richins
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Stephen P. Ferris
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Karen A. Schnatterly
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Rhonda K. Reger
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As Dean of the Trulaske College of Business, I am pleased that all six of the positions have received financial support as a result of Mr. Hibbs' generosity. Drs. Scheer and Ferris have held their named positions continuously from 2003, Dr. Reger since 2017 (since her arrival on campus), Dr. Schnatterly since 2013, and Dr. Turban since 2015. Dr. Richins held the Watkins Professorship from 2003 to 2015. Dr. Johnson held the Hibbs Middlebush Chair from 2006-2017, and that position is currently vacant.

I attest that all faculty members who were appointed to their respective positions have conducted themselves and carried out activities that are consistent with the stipulation in Mr. Hibbs' will.

Signed: Ajay Vinzé
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Robert J. Trulaske, Sr. Dean and Professor